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SUBJECT: GOJ REQUESTS ASSISTANCE FOR LABOR GROUP VISITING US

1. GOJ MINISTRY OF LABOR (MOL) HAS ASKED THAT USG FURNISH FACILITATIVE ASSISTANCE FOR TEAM OF 18 ON VISIT TO US. THEY WOULD ARRIVE WASHINGTON, DC SEPT 9 AND DEPART SAN FRANCISCO OCT 5. AS IN EARLIER YEARS, MOL SEEKS ONLY EMBASSY TOKYO'S ENDORSEMENT OF PROJECT. MOFA IS TELEGRAPHING JAPANESE LABATT IN WASHINGTON TO APPROACH DOL DIRECTLY TO WORK OUT DETAILS OF ITINERARY AND TYPE OF ASSISTANCE DESIRED.

2. MOL SPONSORSHIP OF TEAM OF YOUNG BLUE COLLAR WORKERS TO US IS ANNUAL AFFAIR AND ONE WHICH MINISTRY OFFICIALS CONSIDER IMPORTANT. THE 1975 TEAM WILL INCLUDE 15 SKILLED WORKERS IN CONSTRUCTION TRADES PLUS THREE OFFICIALS--ONE FROM MOL, TWO FROM QUASI-GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYMENT PROMOTION PROJECT.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: IF POSSIBLE FOR DOL TO PROVIDE ASSISTANCE REQUIRED TO GIVE TEAM MEANINGFUL EXPOSURE TO US SOCIETY AND INSTITUTIONS, EMBASSY URGES FAVORABLE ACTION ON MOL REQUEST.
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